

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 505

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A RESOLUTION to commend Sommerie Denise Wade for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Sommerie Wade is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Representative Lois DeBerry; Sommerie's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the daughter of Tyrie Wade and the late Sherron Brown-Wade, Sommerie is a student at the University of Memphis, where she is highly regarded by her peers; she has achieved academic success while majoring in Criminal Justice and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, she is active with her school's Criminal Justice Student Association and plans to study abroad at the Universidad Pontificia de Salamanca in Spain during the summer of 2013; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Sommerie Wade brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2013 session of the One Hundred Eighth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2013 legislative session, Sommerie Wade has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Sommerie Wade has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE

CONCURRING, that we hereby commend Sommerie Denise Wade for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Representative Lois DeBerry and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.